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REF: USUN 650

- 1. DEPT REVIEW OF PLO OBSERVER STATUS COVERING VISA CATEGORIES, OFFICE QUESTIONS EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETE I, NEAR FUTURE. INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE SENT AT THAT TIME.
- 2. IN MEANTIME, WITH RESPECT TO VISAS, YOU MAY INFORM HASAN THAT IT IS IN ORDER FOR PLO OBSERVERS TO SUBMIT VISA APPLICATIONS. QUESTION FOR US IS NOT WHETHER TO ISSUE VISAS BUT THE APPROPRIATE TYPE. FYI: WAIVERS WILL BE REQUIRED FOR PLO OBSERVERS APPLYING FOR VISAS AND HASAN SHOULD BE REMINDED THAT DESIGNATED OBSERVERS SHOULD NOT BE PERSONS WHO WILL CREATE LEGAL OR POLITICAL PROBLEMS HERE. END FYI.

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3. IT IS NOT NECESSARY THAT UN SECRETARIAT NOTIFY US OF

DESIGNATION OF PLO OBSERVERS. HOWEVER, PLO SHOULD PROVIDE UN FORMAL NOTIFICATION OF DESIGNATION OF OBSERVERS SO THAT WHEN VISA APPLICANT STATES HE APPLYING AS PLO OBSERVER, USUN MAY CONFIRM AT UN THAT HE HAS INDEED BEEN SO DESIGNATED THROUGH AUTHORIZED PLO CHANNELS. USUN MAY INFORM UNSEC OF THIS CHANGE IN PRACTICE. KISSINGER

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